

From its founding nearly three centuries ago on the frontier of colonial Maryland to today's thriving suburban developments on the edge of the nation's capital, Prince Georges County has often played a pivotal role in American history. Among the visible records of that history is the county's rich architectural legacy, including more than 250 sites designated as county landmarks and 60 listed in the National Register of Historic Places. Landmarks of Prince Georges County brings together 125 photographs by Jack Boucher, chief photographer for the Interior Department's Historic American Buildings Survey, the nation's oldest federal preservation program and one long regarded as setting the national standard for architectural documentation. This book is an outgrowth of a unique cooperative project between the Historic American Buildings Survey and Prince Georges County to document the county's historic resources. Featured are a wide range of buildings, from historic houses to churches, schools, and commercial and agricultural structures. The residences include the ruins of early 18th-century Want Water, the beautifully restored Federal-style Montpelier, and the exuberant Queen Anne suburban dwellings of the turn of this century. Here also are John Coffren's store in rural Croom, built in 1853 and virtually intact both inside and out, and Hyattsville Hardware, a typical late 19th-century urban business. Among the many churches shown is the oldest surviving in the county, St Paul's Episcopal in Baden, completed in 1735. A pair of barns near Mitchellville - one antebellum, the other late Victorian - reflect the region's post-Civil War shift from tobacco to livestock and fodder crops. The Victorian B&O railroad station in Laurel, built in 1884, is the county's only surviving historic railroad station. And Greenbelt Center Elementary School, a striking 1937 Art Deco structure featuring bas-reliefs by WPA artist Lenore Thomas, recalls an era when the federal government played an active role in urban planning, education, and the arts. Arranged chronologically, the photographs and captions offer a panoramic overview of the county's architectural and historical development. Following the photographs is a list of all the designated historic sites in Prince Georges County, with information about their location, date of construction, and ownership (if publicly owned). Also included are brief essays by Susan G. Pearl, on the history of Prince Georges County; Catherine C. Lavoie, on its architecture; Gail C. Rothrock, on historic preservation in the county; and Robert J. Kapsch, on the work of the Historic American Buildings Survey.

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This is a list of the National Register of Historic Places listings in Prince George's County, seen together in a map. There are properties and districts listed on the National Register in the county, including 6 National Historic Landmarks. This is a List of National Historic Landmarks in Maryland. There are currently 74 National The NHLs are distributed over 17 of Maryland's 23 counties and its one . Anne Arundel, Three-story brick Georgian mansion dating from This is a list of the National Register of Historic Places listings in Prince George

County, There are 10 properties and districts listed on the National Register in the county, including 1 National Historic Landmark. This National Park Service list. Landmarks of Prince George's County. Front Cover. Jack E. Boucher, Maryland- National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Historic American Buildings.

Enjoy an afternoon of history in Prince George's County. area is renowned for monuments, museums and historical homes that take millions. The wealth of historic landmarks that remain in Prince George's County reflect the county's impressive agricultural heritage, its strong community institutions, and.

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